

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A remote control system is provided to control remotely electronic equipment connected via a firewall to an external network. The remote control system have command information memory for storing command information transmitted from a user terminal via the external network. Further, command information transmission means is provided to receive a command fetch request transmitted from the electronic equipment via the external network and to read out command information corresponding to that request from the command information memory, and to transmit the command information via the external network to the electronic equipment as a response to that command fetch request.